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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Tsuneo Sato

Serial No.:

09/753,576

Group Art Unit:

2615

Filed:

January 4, 2001

Examiner:

Selby, Gevell V.

For:

PHOTO SERVICE SYSTEM AND DIGITAL CAMERA

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EXCESS CLAIM FEE PAYMENT LETTER

Technology Center 2600

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

	AFTER AMENDMENT	PREV. PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	FEE DUE
Total Claims	44 -	38	= 6	x \$18.00	\$ 108.00
Indep. Claims	4 -	3	= 1	x \$86.00	\$ 86.00

TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT

\$ 194.00

The amount of \$194.00 to cover the excess claims fee is included in the check attached hereto for the Extension of Time fee. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

The Commissioner is authorized charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: August 31, 2004

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 7, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. No new matter has been added.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 12 of this paper and include both attached replacement sheets and annotated sheets showing changes.

Remarks begin on page 13 of this paper.

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